

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: D. Rich)
Serial No.: 10/709,659)
Filed : May 20, 2004)
For : System and Method for Disseminating Color Ink and Colorant Formulas))

Docket No.: C-569

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a)

This is a petition for an extension of time for a total period of three (3) months to respond to the Notice of Missing Parts of August 11, 2004. Accompanying this petition is the fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(a)-(d) for extending the time in which to respond to an Office Action. Applicant is other than a small entity.

Based on the extension requested in this petition the extended period for response expires on January 11, 2005.

Please charge Deposit Account No. <u>19-4968</u> the amount of \$950.00. If any additional fees are due, please charge them to Deposit Account No. <u>19-4968</u>.

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